FRESNO POLICE DEPARTMENT
DEMOGRAPHIC DATA COLLECTION

Third Quarter 2008
(July/August/September)

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DATA ANALYSIS:

Census 2000 Population of Fresno
(Incorporated City)
Total Population – 427,652

Census 2000 Data	RACE				
	Asian	Black	Hispanic/Mexican	White	Multi-Racial
Population	48,028	35,763	170,520	159,473	13,868
Percent of Population	11.2%	8.4%	39.9%	37.3%	3.2%

% Population vs. % of Drivers Stopped by Race

	Asian	Black	Hispanic	White	Other
■ Population	11.2%	8.4%	39.9%	37.3%	3.2%
■ Traffic Stops	6.4%	11.0%	43.8%	33.2%	1.2%
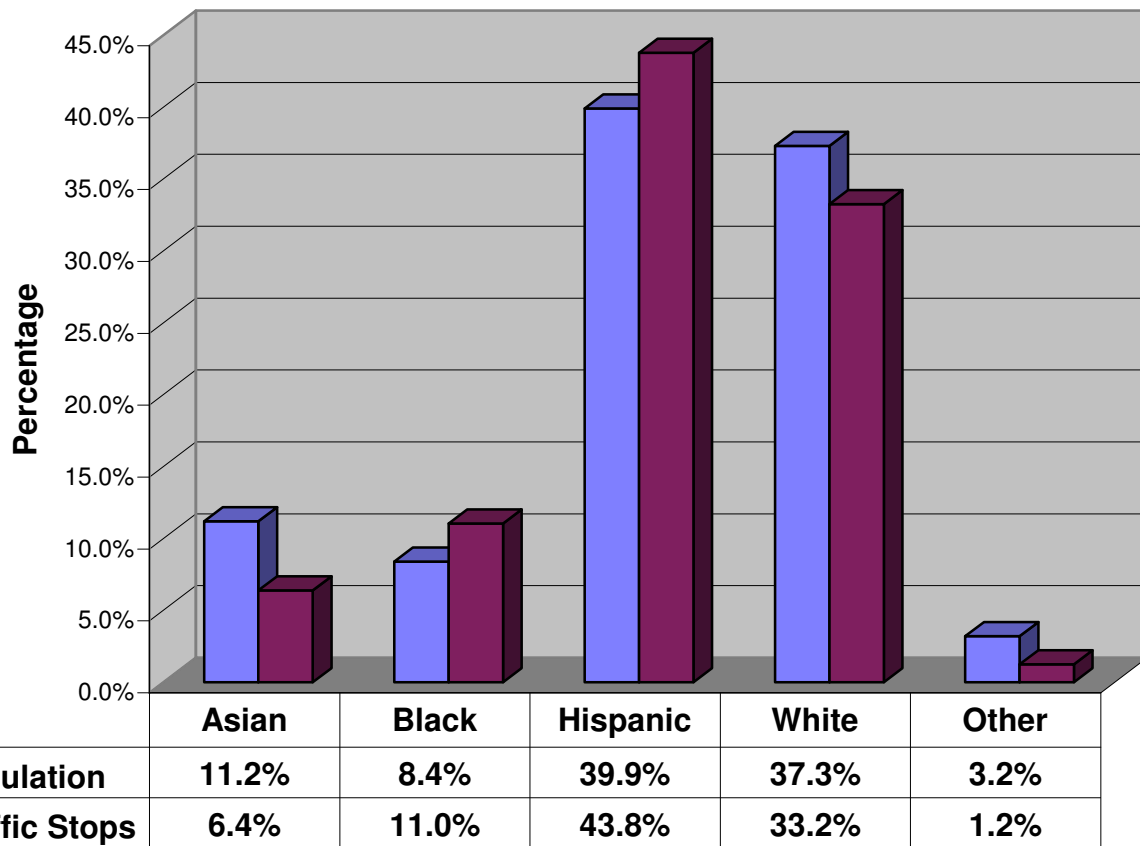
TOTAL TRAFFIC STOPS THIRD QUARTER 2008 – 22,495

TRAFFIC STOPS BY RACE

Traffic Stops by Race
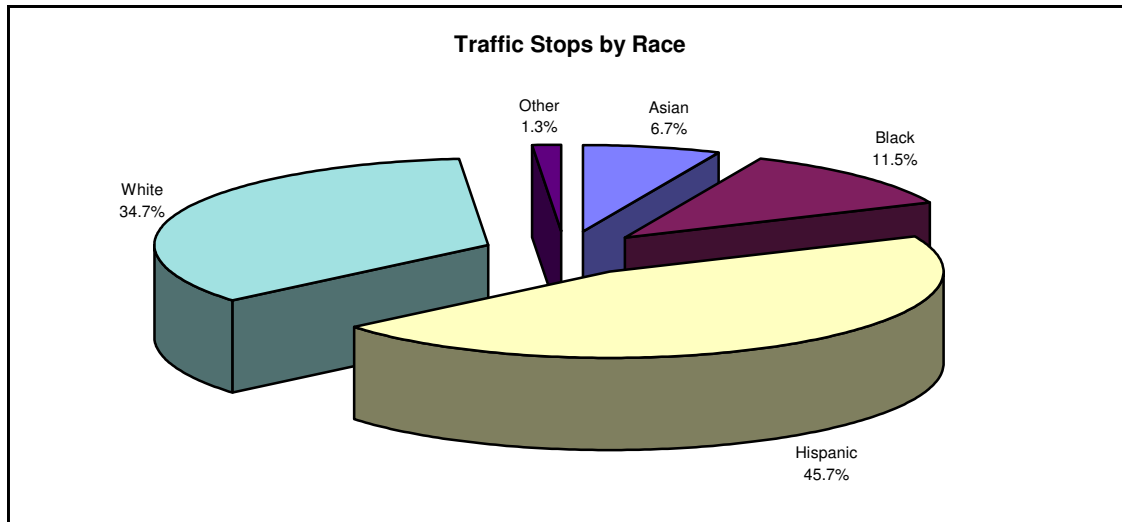
Order by Race:

Race		Percent
Hispanic	-	45.7%
White	-	34.7%
Black	-	11.5%
Asian	-	6.7%
Other	-	1.3%

TRAFFIC STOPS BY REASON FOR STOP

Reason for Stop	Asian	Black	Hispanic	White	Other	TOTAL
Courtesy Stop - Flagged by Citizen		1				1
Driver Wanted - Daily Crime Bulletin/ Warrant		2	1			3
DUI - Driving Under the Influence	1	1	14	4		20
Hazardous Moving Violation	219	347	1177	768	108	2619
Investigative Stop - Observed Criminal Activity	17	25	72	27	3	144
Non-Hazardous Moving Violation	738	1055	4542	4661	98	11094
Other Motor Vehicle Violation	140	405	1752	770	12	3079
Seat Belt Violation	62	123	521	417	7	1130
Vehicle Equipment Violation	261	523	1768	832	51	3435

Of the 22,495 recorded traffic stops, 21,525 scantrons/electronic reports were received where both the reason for the stop and race indicator keys were properly marked.
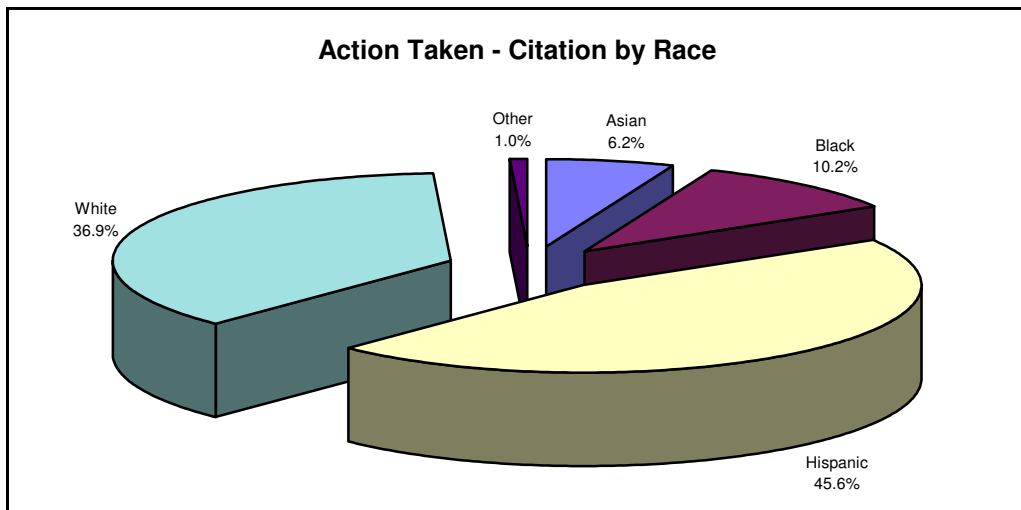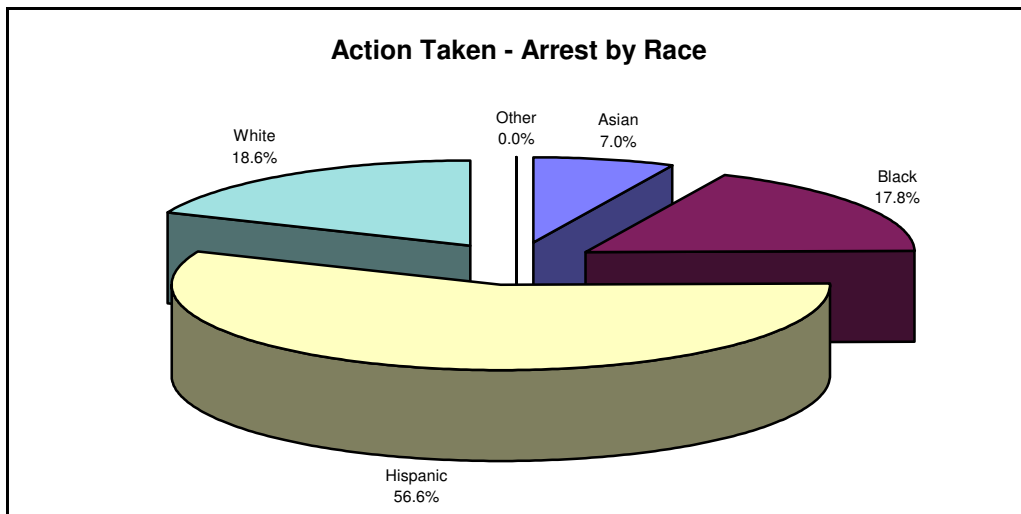
Reason for Traffic Stop

Vehicle Equipment Violation
16.0%

Seat Belt Violation
5.2%

Other Motor Vehicle Violation
14.3%

Driver Wanted - Daily Crime
Bulletin/Warrant
0.0%

Hazardous Moving Violation
12.2%

Investigative Stop - Observed
Criminal Activity
0.7%

Non-Hazardous Moving
Violation
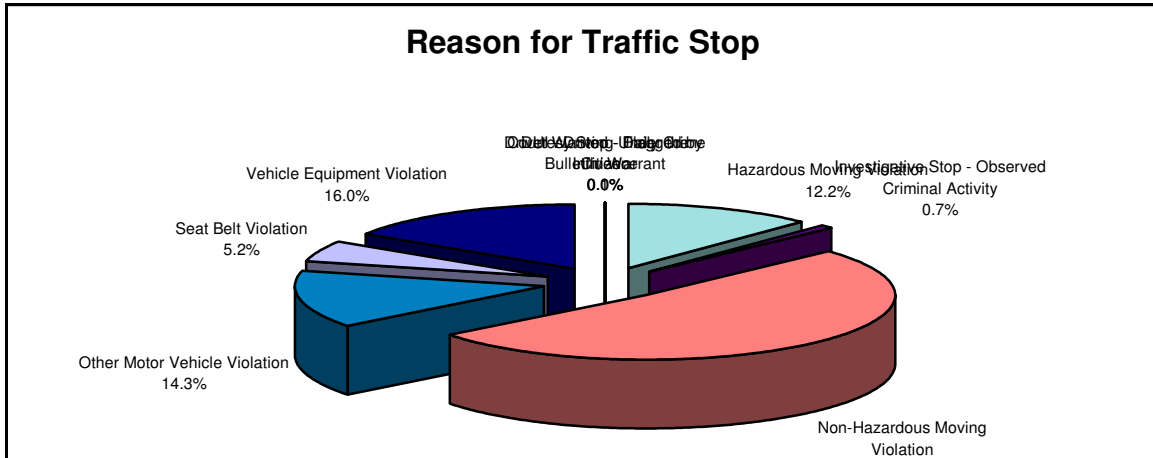
TRAFFIC STOP BY TYPE OF ACTION TAKEN

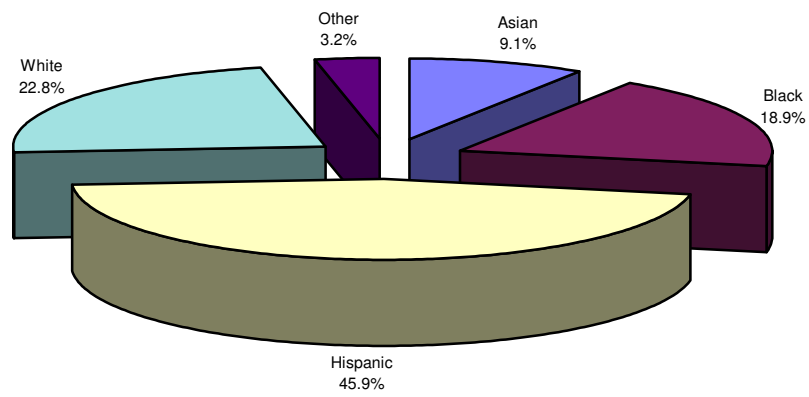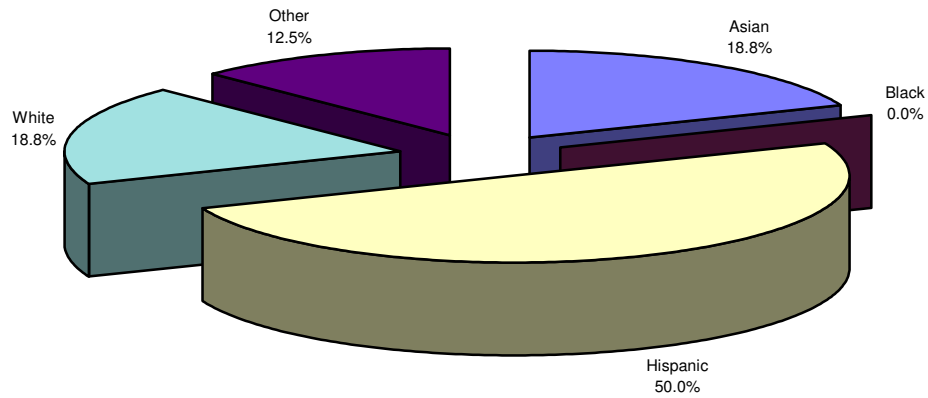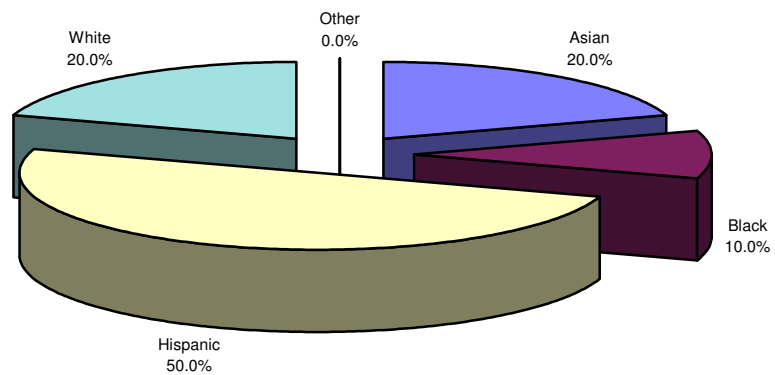| Reason for Stop	Arrest	Citation Issued	Citizen Assistance/ Courtesy	Field Interrogation Card	Warning Given	TOTAL
Courtesy Stop - Flagged by Citizen					1	1
Driver Wanted - Daily Crime Bulletin/ Warrant				1	2	3
DUI - Driving Under the Influence	13	4			3	20
Hazardous Moving Violation	66	2016	2	2	558	2644
Investigative Stop - Observed Criminal Activity	9	24	10	2	99	144
Non-Hazardous Moving Violation	21	10755	2	2	1057	11837
Other Motor Vehicle Violation	1	3085			80	3166
Seat Belt Violation	1	1178			5	1184
Vehicle Equipment Violation	18	2155	2	3	1318	3496

*Statistics reflect traffic stops initiated by District and Patrol Support Division personnel

ACTION TAKEN BY RACE

Description	Asian	Black	Hispanic	White	Other	TOTAL
Arrest	9	23	73	24		**129**
Citation Issued	1139	1869	8326	6737	176	**18247**
Citizen Assistance/ Courtesy	3		8	3	2	**16**
Field Interrogation Card	2	1	5	2		**10**
Warning Given	285	589	1435	713	101	**3123**

Of the 22,495 traffic stops, 21,525 scantrons/electronic reports were received where both the action taken and race indicator keys were properly marked.

Action Taken - Arrest by Race

White 18.6%, Other 0.0%, Asian 7.0%, Black 17.8%, Hispanic 56.6%

Action Taken - Citation by Race

Other 1.0%, Asian 6.2%, Black 10.2%, White 36.9%, Hispanic 45.6%

Action Taken - Warning Given by Race

Other 3.2%
Asian 9.1%
White 22.8%
Black 18.9%
Hispanic 45.9%

Action Taken - Citizen Assistance by Race

Other 12.5%
Asian 18.8%
White 18.8%
Black 0.0%
Hispanic 50.0%

Action Taken - Field Interrogation Card

White 20.0%
Other 0.0%
Asian 20.0%
Black 10.0%
Hispanic 50.0%

TRAFFIC STOPS WITH REASON FOR VEHICLE SEARCH BY RACE

Reason for Stop – Vehicle Searched	Asian	Black	Hispanic	White	Other	TOTAL
Courtesy Stop - Flagged by Citizen						0
Driver Wanted - Daily Crime Bulletin/ Warrant		1				1
DUI - Driving Under the Influence	1		6	2		9
Hazardous Moving Violation	11	49	167	47	2	276
Investigative Stop - Observed Criminal Activity		8	26	3		37
Non-Hazardous Moving Violation	13	58	137	48	5	261
Other Motor Vehicle Violation	1	5	9	3		18
Seat Belt Violation			1			1
Vehicle Equipment Violation	18	47	123	42		230

Of the 22,495 traffic stops, 833 scantrons/electronic reports were received indicating a vehicle was searched.


Vehicles Searched by Race

Other 0.8%
Asian 5.3%
White 17.4%
Black 20.2%
Hispanic 56.3%
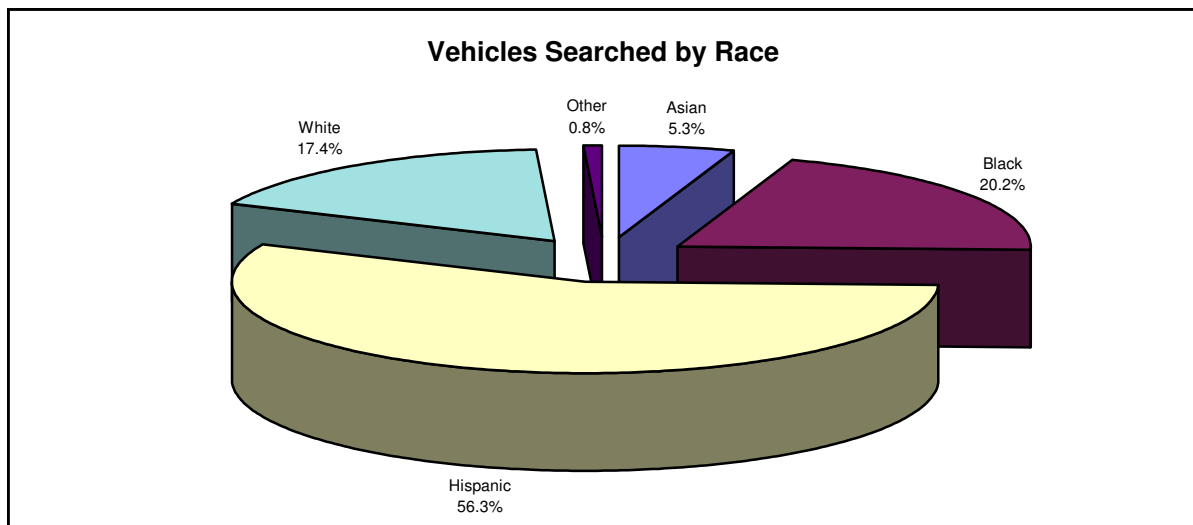
*3.7% of the 22,495 traffic stops resulted in a vehicle search

Order by Race:	Hispanic	-	56.3%
	Black	-	20.2%
	White	-	17.4%
	Asian	-	5.3%
	Other	-	0.8%

CITY-WIDE TRAFFIC STOPS BY DISTRICT/RACE

District	Asian	Black	Hispanic	White	Other	TOTAL
Southwest	166	603	1423	526	41	2759
Central	208	320	1591	605	42	2766
Southeast	250	236	1311	349	28	2174
Northeast	220	309	1085	1614	56	3284
Northwest	196	445	1695	1845	82	4263

Of the 22,495 recorded traffic stops, there were only 15,246 where both the race indicator and district indictor keys were properly marked.

City-Wide Traffic Stops by District

Northwest 28.0%

Southwest 18.1%

Central 18.1%

Northeast 21.5%
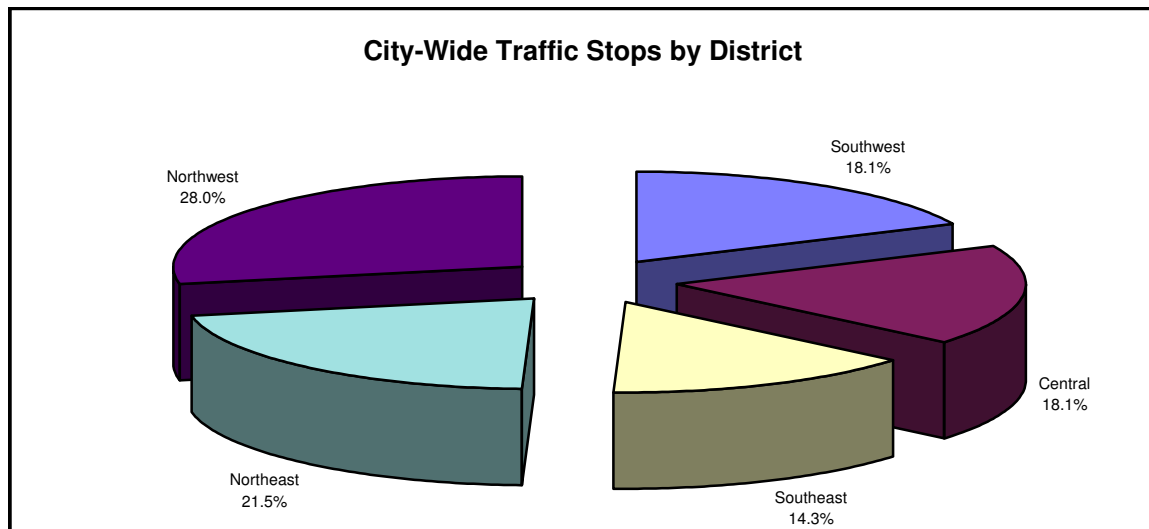
Southeast 14.3%

*Statistics reflect traffic stops initiated by both District and Patrol Support Division personnel

Order by District:	Northwest	-	28.0%
	Northeast	-	21.5%
	Central	-	18.1%
	Southwest	-	18.1%
	Southeast	-	14.3%

Southwest District

Other
1.5%

Asian
6.0%

White
19.1%

Black
21.9%

Hispanic
51.6%

Central District

Other
1.5%

Asian
7.5%

White
21.9%

Black
11.6%

Hispanic
57.5%

Southeast District

Other
1.3%

Asian
11.5%

White
16.1%

Black
10.9%

Hispanic
60.3%

Northeast District

Other 1.7%
Asian 6.7%
Black 9.4%
White 49.1%
Hispanic 33.0%

Northwest District

Other 1.9%
Asian 4.6%
Black 10.4%
White 43.3%
Hispanic 39.8%
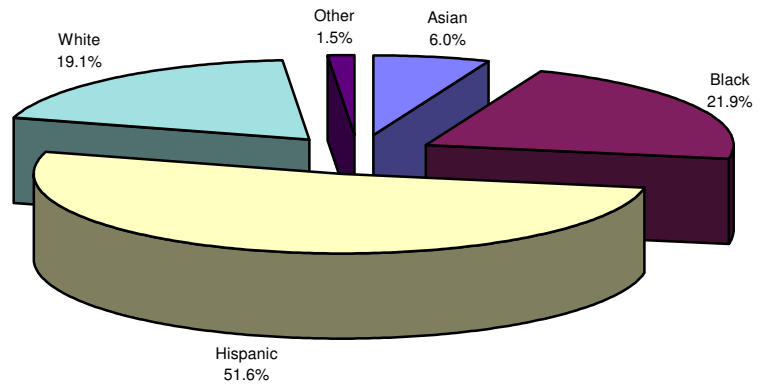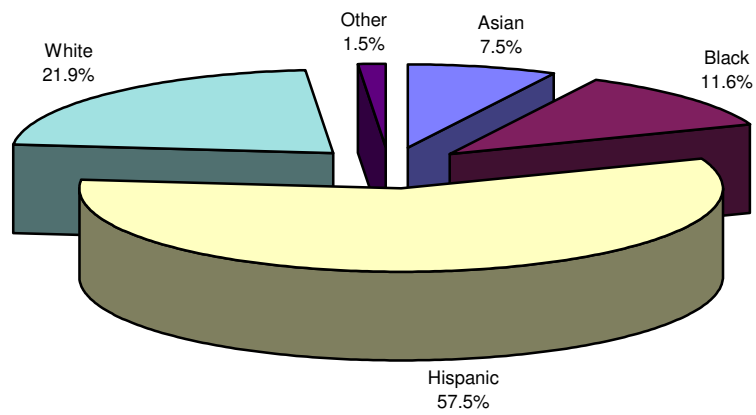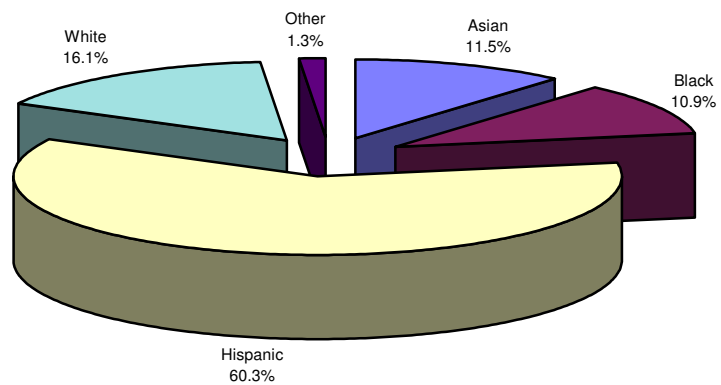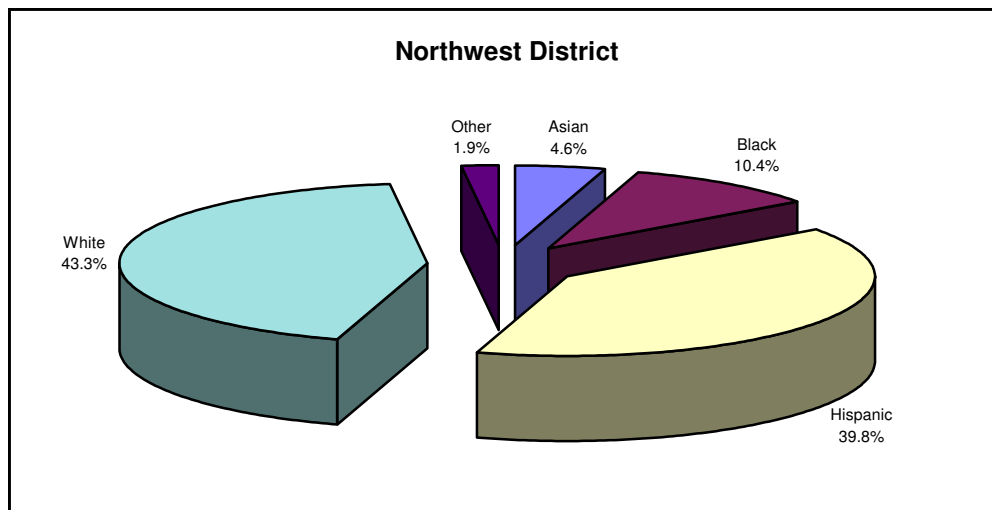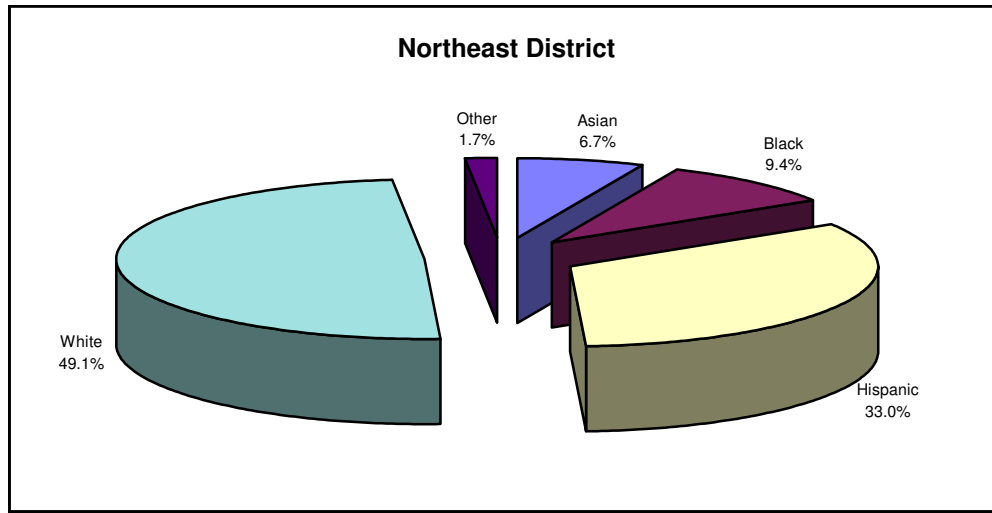
TRAFFIC STOPS BY PATROL SUPPORT DIVISION
Total 559 Traffic Stops

District	Asian	Black	Hispanic	White	Other	TOTAL
Southwest	8	95	72	22	3	200
Central	7	15	59	22	2	105
Southeast	5	18	72	13	2	110
Northeast	4	24	38	31	1	98
Northwest	2	5	31	8		46

*Patrol Support Division consists of MAGEC, POP, Patrol TAC, Multi-Agency, K9, Juvenile TAC, and HEAT

TRAFFIC STOPS BY DAYS OF THE WEEK CITY-WIDE

Traffic Stops by Days of the Week
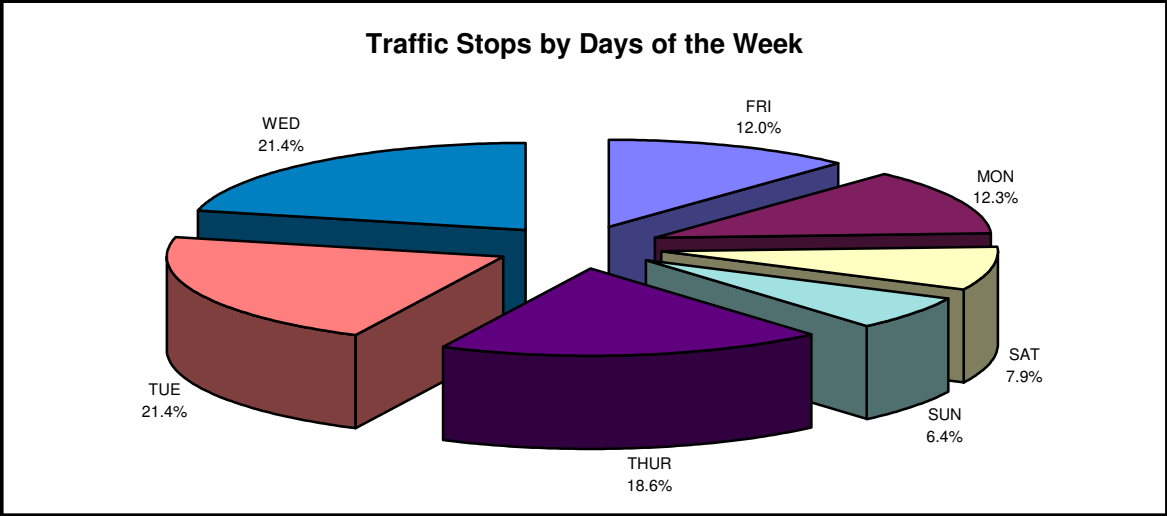
Order by Day of the Week:

Wednesday	-	21.4%
Tuesday	-	21.4%
Thursday	-	18.6%
Monday	-	12.3%
Friday	-	12.0%
Saturday	-	7.9%
Sunday	-	6.4%

TRAFFIC STOPS BY HOUR OF THE DAY CITY-WIDE

Traffic Stops by Hours of the Day

1800-2359
26.2%

0000-0559
8.0%

0600-1159
35.9%

1200-1759
29.9%
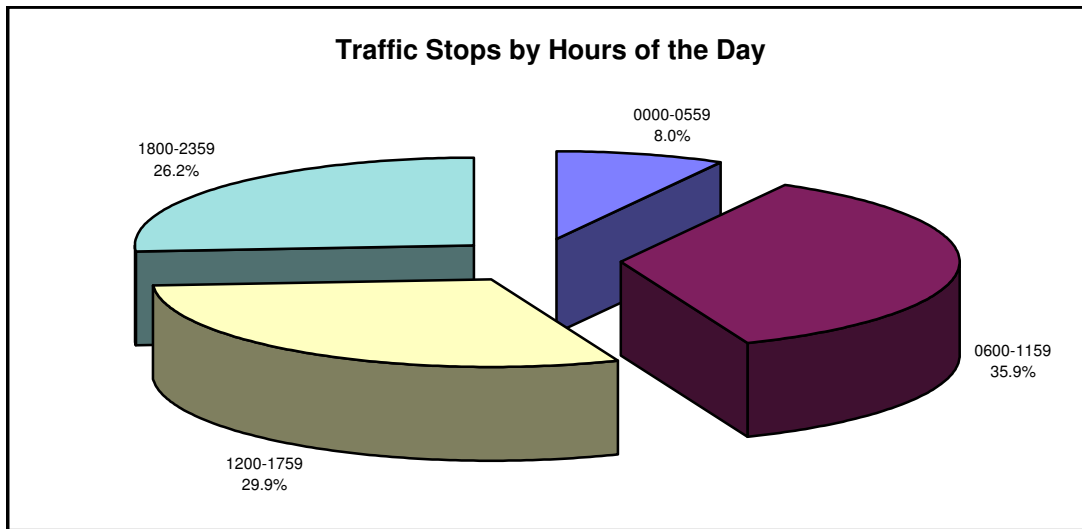
Order by Hours of the Day:

0600 to 1159 hrs	-	35.9%
1200 to 1759 hrs	-	29.9%
1800 to 2359 hrs	-	26.2%
0000 to 0559 hrs	-	8.0%

TRAFFIC STOPS BY AGE AND RACE

Age Group	Asian	Black	Hispanic	White	Other	TOTAL
12-17	9	21	67	30	5	132
18-23	457	580	2615	1509	64	5225
24-29	308	463	2241	1195	67	4274
30-35	168	374	1636	946	41	3165
36-41	139	324	1137	835	36	2471
42-47	112	222	860	849	23	2066
48-53	94	225	596	761	13	1689
54-59	76	129	362	548	10	1125
60-65	30	71	189	399	12	701
66-71	18	37	78	206	6	345
72-77	15	18	35	95	1	164
78-83	8	13	22	66	1	110
84-89	3	5	7	33		48
90-95				6		6

Of the 22,495 traffic stops, 21,521 scantrons/electronic reports were received where both the age and race indicator keys were properly marked.

DAILY CRIME BULLETIN (WANTED PERSONS) BY RACE
LISTINGS – 388

TOTAL	Asian	Black	Hispanic	White	Other	Unknown
388	14	95	168	102	1	8

DCB by Race

Unknown 2.1%

Other 0.3%

Asian 3.6%

White 26.3%

Black 24.5%
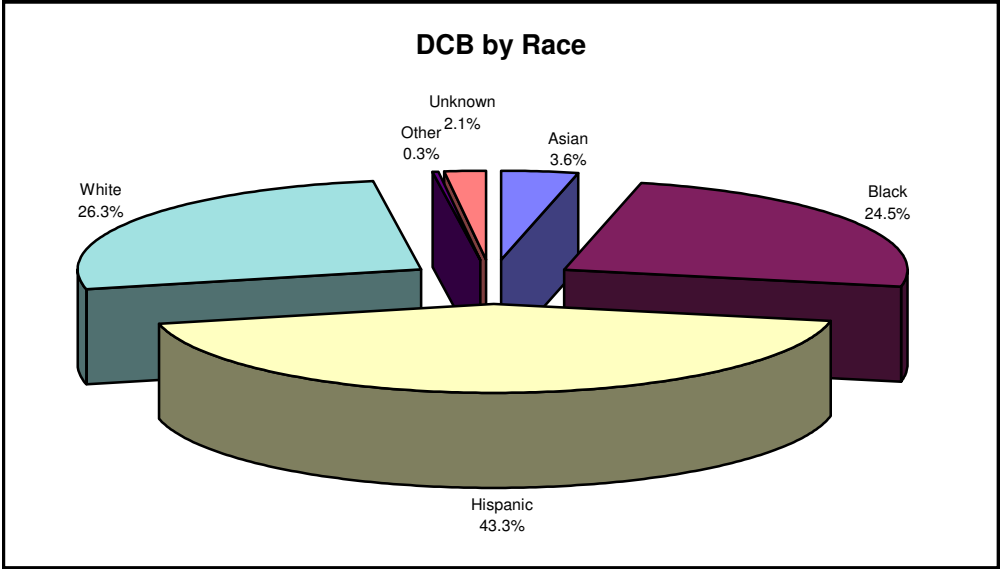
Hispanic 43.3%

Order by Race:

Black	-	24.5%
Hispanic	-	43.3%
White	-	26.3%
Unknown	-	2.1%
Asian	-	3.6%
Other	-	0.3%